



A diagram illustrating a frame structure. It consists of a horizontal bar divided into many small, equal-width rectangular slots. The first slot on the left is shaded with diagonal lines. A curved arrow points from the text "TIME SLOT ZERO" to this first slot. Below the bar, the text "FRAME START SIGNAL" is written.

The diagram shows a circular arrangement of four rectangular components labeled 11, 12, 13, and 14. Solid lines (21, 22, 23, 24) and dashed lines (21cc, 22cc, 23cc, 24cc) connect the components in a clockwise cycle. Arrows indicate the direction of flow: 11 to 12, 12 to 13, 13 to 14, and 14 to 11.

FIG. 4

